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Date: August 10, 2001
Docket No: 9913/9-1556

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No.:	9913/9-1556
Inventor(s):	Johan C. FITTER
Title:	ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLS AND AN INTERCHANGEABLE ELECTROLYTE THEREFORE

APPLICATION ELEMENTS (See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents)

1. Fee Transmittal Form (attachment)

2. Specification, Claims, Abstract [Total pages 21]

3. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total sheets 1, Fig.1]

4. Oath or Declaration [Total pages 2]

Unexecuted Declaration [Total pages 2]

a. Newly executed (original or copy)

b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(For continuation/divisional with box 17 completed)

I. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named
 in the Prior application see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) & 1.33(b).

5. Incorporation by Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath
 or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the
 disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by
 reference therein.

6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

[] 7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (If applicable, all necessary)

[] a. Computer Readable Copy

[] b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

[] c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

[] 8. Assignment Papers (cover sheet (PTO-1595) and document(s))

[] 9. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement [] Power of Attorney
(when there is a assignee)

[] 10. English Translation Document (if applicable)

[] 11. Information Disclosure Statement [] Copies of IDS citations (refs.)
(IDS) and PTO-1449

[] 12. Preliminary Amendment

[X] 13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized)

[X] 14. **Small Entity Statement-The Applicant and assignee (if any) qualify for and hereby claim small entity status.**

[] 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s):
(Only if foreign priority is claimed)

[X] 16. Other: THIS APPLICATION CLAIMS PRIORITY in South African Provisional patent application No. 2000/4112 filed 11 August 2000.

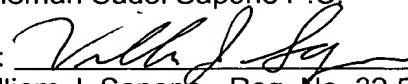
[] 17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:
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of prior application No. _____

Prior application information: Examiner _____ Group: _____

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Fee Transmittal Form

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THE FILING FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

	Claims filed		Extra	SMALL \$ 355.00	LARGE \$ 710.00	AMOUNT \$ 355.00
Total Claims	20	Minus 20	0	x \$ 09.00	x \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent	3	Minus 03	0	x \$ 40.00	x \$ 80.00	\$ 0.00
			Multiple dependent claim fee	+ \$ 135.00	+ \$ 270.00	\$.00
			() Non-English specification	37 C.F.R. 1.17(k) fee (+ \$130.00)		\$.00
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					FEE DUE:	\$ 355.00

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- a. Fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- b. Fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
- c. Fees required under 37 C.F.R. 118.

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